

# Cal OES Daily Situation Report

## August 31, 2018



The Hirz Fire, northeast of Redding in Shasta County, is now 39% contained.

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## National Terrorism Advisory System



# SITUATION SUMMARY

## Cal OES Activation Status

### State Operations Center

Normal Operations

### Inland Region EOC

Normal Operations

### Coastal Region EOC

Normal Operations

### Southern Region EOC

Normal Operations

#### Cal OES INLAND REGION

- See Fire Activity Slides

#### Cal OES COASTAL REGION

- See Fire Activity Slides

#### Cal OES SOUTHERN REGION

- Nothing significant to report

# **SITUATION SUMMARY**

## **Cal OES SOUTHERN REGION (Continued)**

### **Virulent Newcastle Disease (VND) in Backyard Poultry and Avian in Los Angeles, San Bernardino, and Riverside Counties**

The California Department of Food and Agriculture (CDFA) has detected virulent Newcastle Disease (VND) in chickens in Los Angeles, San Bernardino Counties, and Riverside Counties.

- On 08/15/18, CDFA and the United States Department of Agriculture (USDA) Animal and Plant Health Inspection Service (APHIS) have confirmed VND in a single backyard flock of exhibition chickens in the City of Santa Paula, Ventura County.

### **Declaration**

- On 06/26/18 at 1840 hours, CDFA has declared an Agricultural Emergency to provide the department the authority to activate internal emergency provisions and to expedite the request for permits and waivers required to perform designated activities under an emergency basis.

### **Quarantine**

- The CDFA State Veterinarian has established an animal (defined poultry species) and animal products quarantine in designated disease control areas in the counties of San Bernardino and Riverside. The quarantine is effective Monday, 07/09/18.
  - On 07/26/18, the unincorporated community of Mentone was released from the control zone.
  - On 07/30/18, the City of Highland was released from the control zone.
  - On 08/05/18, the City of Fontana was released from the control zone.
  - On 08/20/18, the City of Rialto was released from the control zone.
- Effective 08/14/18, The CDFA State Veterinarian-Director has established an additional animal (defined poultry species) and animal products area quarantine (VND2) in designated disease control areas in the counties of Los Angeles County (cities of Compton and El Monte), and San Bernardino County (City of Chino).

### **Activations**

- San Bernardino Operational Area (OA) EOC is activated to Level 3 (lowest level) and will continue to monitor the incident.

### **Deployments**

- 1 Cal OES Southern Region Senior Emergency Services Coordinator (ESC) is deployed to the ICP as an AREP (Agency Representative). Operational Period of 0700-1900 hours.

# FIRE ACTIVITY

## Cal OES Fire Preparedness Levels

National	Northern California	Southern California
Preparedness Level 4	Preparedness Level 4	Preparedness Level 3
	Multi-Agency Coordination System MACS Mode: 3	Multi-Agency Coordination System MACS Mode: 2

Please note: The National and Regional Preparedness Levels are maintained by the National Multi-Agency Coordination (MAC) Group and are separate from Cal OES activation levels.

### FEMA US&R Activations

- **2018-FIRE-50620:** In support of FEMA ESF9 activities related to Hurricane Lane in the Hawaiian Islands, CA-TF3 (Menlo) Type III (46 members total) along with 17 personnel in support of the White IST Advance Team.
  - CA-TF3 and some members of White IST Advance Team are in the process of demobilization.

### Cal OES Fire Missions

- **2018-FIRE-49023:** 2018 July California Statewide Fires: The Cal OES EMAC Coordinator in coordination with Cal OES Fire Branch are working together to request and coordinate needed resources (Fire Engines) via the EMAC Compact. [All resources have been released.](#)
- **2018-FIRE-47927:** Incident Number: CA-CDF-000378, 1 National Guard Type I rotary wing helicopters performing aerial firefighting operations, including water dropping and transport capabilities. (On Scene)



# FIRE ACTIVITY

## INLAND REGION

### Hirz, Vegetation Fire, Shasta County

Location: Gillman Rd. x Moore Creek Campground, 8 Miles East of Lakehead

Jurisdiction: Federal DPA, FRA, Shasta Trinity N.F.

Start Date/Time: 08/09/18 at 0155 hours

Per Cal OES Duty Officers and ICS-209 as of 08/31/18 at 0748 hours:

- 36,083 acres, 39% contained
- McCloud River Club remains evacuated
- Threat to high value private timber lands, critical wildlife habitat, McCloud Wild and Scenic River, sensitive botanical species, and cultural heritage sites
- Unified Command: CIIMT 5 (Young), Cal Fire Team 5 (Bravo) and Shasta County Sheriff (Barnhart)

### **Activations**

- JFO Geo Ops supporting Inland Region 0700-1700 hours

### Donnell, Vegetation Fire, Tuolumne County

Location: Near Hwy. 108, Donnell Lake area in the Carson Iceberg Wilderness

Jurisdiction: Federal DPA, FRA, Stanislaus National Forest

Start Date: 08/01/18

Per Cal OES Duty Officers and ICS-209 as of 08/31/18 at 0748 hours:

- 36,335 acres, 65% contained
- CA Fed IMT - SoCal 1 (Fogle) in command
- Moderate fire behavior with short-range spotting, isolated torching, and creeping
- Permits are being issued to homeowners for property assessment only, not repopulation
- Hwy. 108 is open to through traffic
- Clark Fork Rd., Forest Rd., several campgrounds and trails remain closed
- Fire is burning in a high tree mortality area

### **Activations**

- JFO Geo Ops supporting Inland Region 0700-1700 hours

### **FMAG**

- On 08/06/18 at 1236 hours, an FMAG was received and has been placed on hold.

### **Proclamations**

- On 08/08/18, a Local Health Emergency Proclamation was received due to impacts from the Donnell Fire.
- On 08/05/18, a Proclamation was received from Tuolumne County due to the Donnell Fire. No assistance is being requested at this time.

# **FIRE ACTIVITY**

## **INLAND REGION (Continued)**

### **Lions, Vegetation Fire, Madera County**

Location: Lion Point, in the Ansel Adams Wilderness area

Jurisdiction: Federal DPA, FRA, Sierra NF/Inyo NF

Per Cal OES Duty Officers and ICS-209 as of **08/31/18 at 0748 hours:**

- 12,990 acres, 80% contained
- VA Fed IMT NIMO (Quesinberry) in command
- Minimal fire behavior with flanking, backing and isolated torching
- Steep terrain, remote, high elevation, difficult access
- Fire is burning in a high tree mortality area

## **COASTAL REGION**

### **Mendocino Complex (River and Ranch), Vegetation Fire, Mendocino/Lake/Colusa/Glenn Counties**

Location: Old Lake County x Hwy. 20, Blue Lake, 8 miles NE of Ukiah

Jurisdiction: State DPA, SRA, Mendocino Unit

Start Date: 07/27/18

Per Cal OES Duty Officers and ICS-209 as of **08/31/18 at 0748 hours:**

- 459,102 acres, 93% contained
- CAIMT – 3 (Von Tillow)
- National Guard asset, remote piloted aircraft assigned
- 1 Firefighter fatality

### **Deployments**

- 2 Cal OES Fire and Rescue Branch Assistant Chiefs
- 1 Cal OES Public Safety Communications Technicians

### **FMAG**

- On 07/28/18, an FMAG was received from the River Incident. On 07/28/18, the FMAG was approved by FEMA.
- On 07/29/18, an FMAG was received from the Ranch Incident. On 07/29/18, the FMAG was approved by FEMA.
  - FEMA combined the River and Ranch incidents into one FMAG: FEMA-5262-FM

# **FIRE ACTIVITY**

## **COASTAL REGION (Continued)**

### **Mendocino Complex (River and Ranch), Vegetation Fire, Mendocino/Lake/Colusa/Glenn Counties (Continued)**

#### **Proclamations**

- On 08/28/18, a Public Health Emergency Proclamation was received from Mendocino County. No state assistance is requested.
  - On 08/29/18, Mendocino County submitted a Ratified Public Health Proclamation.
- On 08/22/18, a Proclamation from Glenn County was received due to the effects of the Mendocino Complex. They are not requesting assistance at this time.
  - On 08/22/18, Glenn County submitted a Ratified Proclamation.
- On 08/21/18, a Local Health Emergency Proclamation from Lake County was received with no requests.
- On 08/09/18, Governor Edmund G. Brown Jr. issued an executive order to cut red tape and help streamline recovery efforts in communities impacted by the devastating wildfires that continue to burn in Lake, Siskiyou, Shasta, Mendocino and Napa counties. [Click here for the full proclamation](#)
- On 08/09/18, the City of Lakeport submitted a Ratified Emergency Proclamation.
- On 08/07/18, Colusa County submitted an Emergency Proclamation.
  - On 08/13/18, the Colusa County Emergency Proclamation was ratified by the Board of Supervisors. The County is requesting a Gubernatorial Proclamation as well as State and Federal financial assistance, including CDAA.
- On 07/28/18, Governor Edmund G. Brown Jr. issued Emergency Proclamations for Lake, Mendocino, and Napa counties due to the effects of the River, Ranch, and Steele fires, which have destroyed homes and structures, threatened critical infrastructure and caused the evacuation of residents. [Click here for the full proclamation](#)
- On 07/28/18, Lake County submitted a Proclamation due to the effects of the Mendocino Complex. The County requested all available state and federal assistance.
  - On 08/06/18, Lake County submitted a Resolution and Letter to the Cal OES Director requesting CDAA and a waiver on County's share of cost under CDAA.
  - On 08/07/18, the Lake County Public Health Emergency Proclamation was ratified by the Board of Supervisors.
- On 07/27/18, Mendocino County submitted a Proclamation due to the effects of the Mendocino Complex. The County requested all available state and federal assistance to include CDAA.
  - Ratification received on 08/01/18

#### **Recovery**

- Lake County DRC, 08/21/18 – TBD
  - Hours: 0900-1800 Monday – Saturday, closed Sunday and [Labor Day, 09/03/18](#)
  - Location: Habematolel Pomo of Upper Lake Community Center, 9460 Main St., Upper Lake.
  - Will be closed 09/03/18, in observance of Labor Day



# FIRE ACTIVITY

## COASTAL REGION (Continued)

### Natchez, Vegetation Fire, Del Norte County

Location: South of Little Greyback Mtn., 13 miles northwest of Happy Camp

Jurisdiction: Federal DPA, FRA, Rogue River-Siskiyou N.F., Klamath N.F.

Per Cal OES Duty Officers and ICS-209 as of 08/31/18 at 0748 hours:

- 27,702 acres, 70% contained
- Evacuations Warning remains for California residents near South Fork Indian Creek
- Community of Sunstar, Oregon remains in a Level 1 Evacuation "Ready" status
- Incident started on the Rogue River-Siskiyou N.F. and has burned onto the Klamath N.F. (approx. 22,096 acres burned onto Klamath N.F.)
- IMT-2 NW Team 13 (Gales)

# MAJOR ROAD / HIGHWAY / BRIDGE CLOSURES

Major Road Closures		
Northern California	Central California	Southern California
No Lifeline Route Closures	No Lifeline Route Closures	No Lifeline Route Closures

## Lifeline Routes

- There are no Lifeline Route closures.

## Non-Lifeline Routes:

- There are no Non-Lifeline Route closures.

## Wildfire Closures:

- There are no Wildfire Closures.

## Emergency Center Activations:

- There are no Emergency Center Activations at this time.

## Interactive Travel Forecast Map Based on Weather Conditions Provided by National Weather Service (Prototype)

<http://www.wrh.noaa.gov/wrh/travel/?wfo=mtr>



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current Hwy. conditions.  
You can also call 1-800-427-7623 for  
current Hwy. conditions.



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## California 911 System

CA 911 Outages		
Northern California	Central California	Southern California
No 911 Outages	No 911 Outages	No 911 Outages

### 911 Outages/Remote/Community Isolations:

- None Reported

### Service Interruptions:

- None Reported

# WEATHER OF CONCERN

## Weather of Concern

- There is no weather of concern.

## **Weather Advisories, Watches, and Warnings currently active in California:**

- <http://www.wrh.noaa.gov/hazardSummary/?state=ca>

## **Active Weather Warnings, Watches and Advisories by County:**

- <http://www.wrh.noaa.gov/hazardSummary/?state=ca&bycounty=1>

# WEATHER SYNOPSIS BY REGION

## **NORTHERN CALIFORNIA**

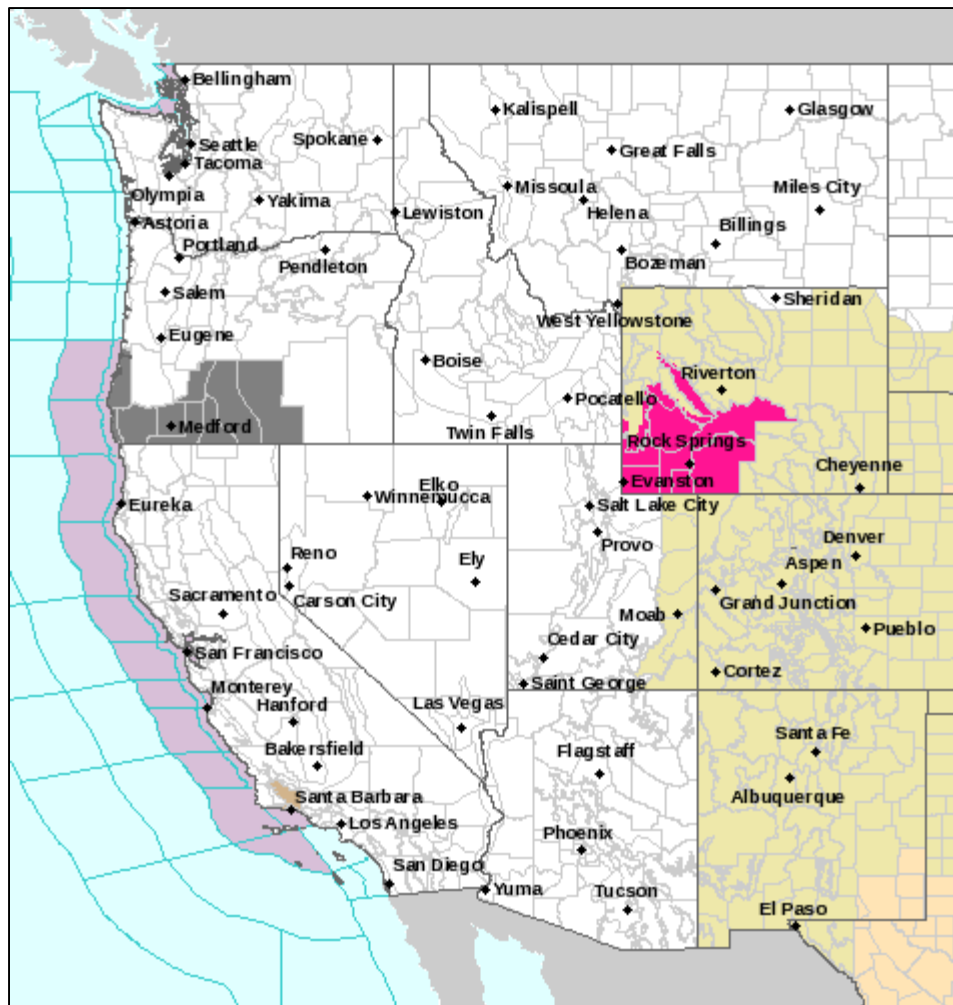
- A low pressure trough will pass over the region Friday and move off to the east Friday night, leaving a flatter west-to-east flow overhead for the Labor Day weekend
- SW-NW gusts to 25 mph and locally higher in the coastal range and into the western Sacramento Valley this afternoon and evening. A repeat Saturday and Sunday afternoons/evenings, but with gusts only to 20-25 mph
- NW-N gusts to 25 mph and locally higher in the northern and western Sacramento Valley and nearby foothills tonight and early Saturday. A repeat Saturday night/early Sunday and Sunday night/early Monday, but with gusts only to 20-25 mph
- NE gusts to 25 mph and locally higher down the western Sierra-Cascade slopes and foothills tonight and early Saturday. A repeat Saturday night/early Sunday and Sunday night/early Monday, but with gusts only to 20-25 mph
- A more shallow marine layer and lower Relative Humidity (RH) inland each day through Monday. Minimum afternoon RH 8-18% by Monday. Overnight RH recovery becoming poor in inland areas, especially where winds continue through the night
- Temperatures will be near normal today and 4-8 degrees above normal Sat-Mon
- Some cloud buildups are possible this afternoon near the higher peaks, but no precipitation or lightning expected in the next 7 days
- A low pressure trough will deepen over the region Tuesday through the end of next week, leading to gusty SW winds in eastern areas Thurs/Fri

## **SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA**

- A trough will slowly deepen over the West Coast through early next week and then weaken Wednesday through late next week.
- North winds of 20-30 mph will surface across much of Santa Barbara County and the Grapevine through tonight.
- West winds of 20-30 mph will surface across the mountain ridges and desert passes through this evening.
- Maximum temperatures will be near to a little below normal today, with 70s to low 80s across the mountains and mid 80s to mid 90s in the valleys.
- A slow cooling trend will take place through Tuesday and then there will be a slow warming trend Wednesday through late next week.
- Minimum humidity 15%-30% away from the coastal areas, except 5%-15% across the deserts through the end of next week.
- No shower or thunderstorm activity expected through the end of next week.



# WEATHER MAP



- [Red Flag Warning](#)
- [Small Craft Advisory](#)
- [Wind Advisory](#)
- [Gale Watch](#)
- [Special Weather Statement](#)
- [Air Quality Alert](#)
- [Hazardous Weather Outlook](#)



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# Cal OES LAW ENFORCEMENT MISSIONS

## Cal OES Law Missions

- **SAR Incident / No Mission Number, 08/30/18, 1851 hours:** The IERCC advised the W/C of an inReach SOS activation on Mt. Whitney in the vicinity of Constellation Lake. While confirming details of the activation, IERCC advised LDO they received a cancellation message from the device that it was an accidental activation and there was no emergency. **Call Closed.**
- **2018-LAW-50877, 08/30/18, 2313 hours:** The Sacramento County Sheriff's Dept. requested a SAR mutual aid K9 out of Placer County to assist in the search for a missing, developmentally disabled 17 yr old female in South Sacramento. The family called the SO approx. 2130 hrs., after finding the MP's scooter abandoned 1/4 mile from her residence. Approx. 2330 hrs., while responding to an unrelated call in Rancho Cordova, the MP was located. The SAR K9 was released. **Mission Closed.**
- **2018-LAW-50857, 08/30/18, 2036 hours:** The AFRCC reported an ALNOT involving an unidentified and possibly downed helicopter. The Oakland Center had cleared a helicopter for approach into the Napa County Airport but fell off their radar near Cordelia, Solano County. After radar contact was lost, an ELT activation, with a proximate location somewhere in Napa County, was heard by the tower. During this time, the Oakland Center was contacted by the Napa Airport who reported they had lost contact with a REACH Air Medical helicopter but it was later confirmed to be safe on the ground in Santa Rosa. With the local airport now closed and not knowing if this helo was the source of the ELT, AFRCC activated CAP, mission number 18M0642A. The Warning Center notified Solano and Napa Counties requesting they do area checks. LDO briefed the Napa SO SAR Coordinator. Update: 2250 hrs. AFRCC advised the CAP aircrew would be in route shortly and that the ground crew has already departed with a 2 hour ETA. **Update: 08/31/18, 0136 hours,** AFRCC advised they are closing the ALNOT mission as their ground and air teams could not find evidence of a missing aircraft. Solano and Napa Counties advised. **Mission Closed.**
- **2018-LAW-50820, 08/28/18, 1615 hours:** The Stanislaus County Office of Education contacted the Cal OES Law Enforcement Branch (LEB)/Cyber Security Integration Center (CSIC) to report a cyber-attack on their agency I/T server. CSIC requested deployment of the California National Guard (CNG) Computer Network Defense Team to assist in mitigating and recovering from the cyber-attack. Mission approved for 08/29/18. **Update: 08/30/18, Per STAC, the mission is complete. Mission Closed.**



# Cal OES MISSION TASKING

## Cal OES Missions

- **2018-IREOC-49869:** Debris Management Task Force for Shasta County. (Coordinating)
- **2018-IREOC-48515:** 2018-07-05-Klamathon Wildfire - Air monitors in Siskiyou County due to the Klamathon Fire (On Scene)
- **2018-CREOC-48046:** 2018-06-23-Lake-Wildland Fire - DTSC to clear debris from Pawnee Fire.
- **2018-IREOC-45244:** Caltrans to remove dead and dying trees along highways in Kern, Tulare, Fresno, Madera, Mariposa, Tuolumne, Calaveras, Butte, Plumas, Sierra, Shasta, and Lassen counties (On Scene - Long-term assignment)
- **2017-SOC-44098:** 2017 December Wildfires - CalRecycle Debris Management Team in Ventura County (On Scene)
- **2017-Inland-42559:** Weather station installed to gather real time rainfall data by Air Resources Control Board (ARB). Mission extended through 05/30/19. (On Scene)



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